

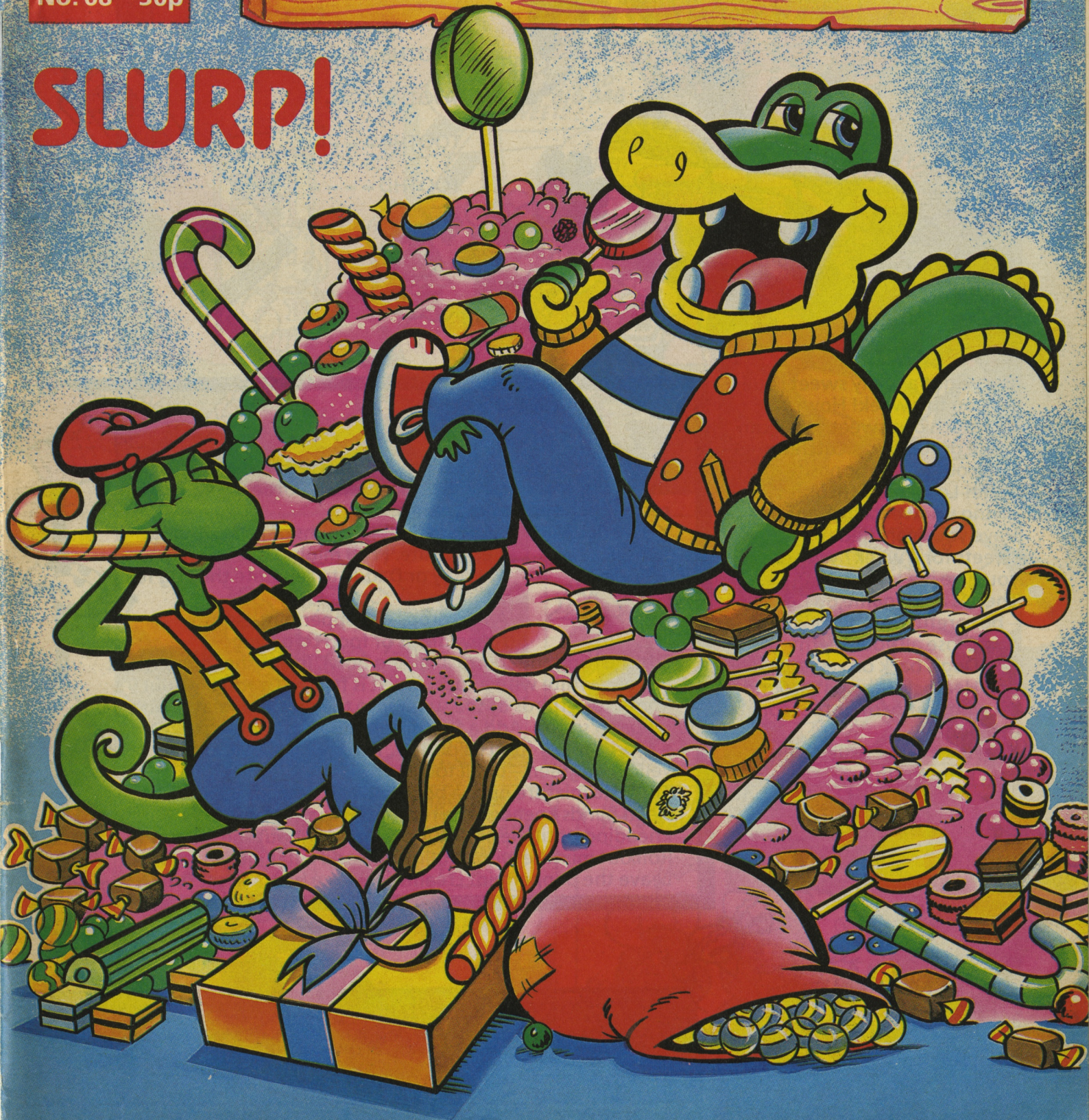
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GET ALONG GANG™

SLURP!





ZIPPER'S TOOTHY TEASER!

Hi, Zipper here! Do you think you know a lot about your teeth? Well, now you can test your knowledge by doing the game below.

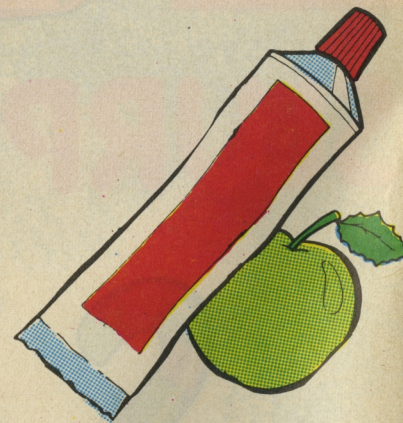
Here are some words all about teeth!
As you can see some of the letters are missing
— see if you can fill them in!

TOOTHB — — —

TOOTHA — — —

TOOTHP — — —

TOOTH — — —



ANSWERS: Toothbrush, toothache, toothpaste, toothdecay.

HI GANG!

We've got a really **sweet** issue for you this week! However too much of a sweet tooth can cause problems as Catchum finds out on the opposite page! Lolly has difficulties giving up sweets on page 14! Have you ever tried to give up sweets for a week? Why don't you give it a try? There's a fun game on page 16 — be careful though or you could lose all your teeth! Top Dog's back on page 10 and Heathcliff the Cat around causing plenty of bother for everyone! Yep, it's a great issue, and that's the **tooth**!

Montgomery

NEXT WEEK:

Seaside fun in the sun!



GANG PROJECT

Sweets can be quite expensive, if you don't feel like buying them why not make your own? Here's Dottie Dog's special recipe for peppermint creams:

YOU WILL NEED: 12 heaped tablespoons of icing sugar
1 egg white. (You might have to ask your Mummy or Daddy to separate the egg for you.)
A few drops of peppermint essence
A few drops of food colouring

Sift the icing sugar into a mixing bowl. In another bowl whisk the egg white with a fork until it is frothy. Gradually pour about two-thirds of the sugar into the egg and beat it with a wooden spoon. Add a few drops of peppermint essence and a few drops of food colouring. You could use blue, pink, yellow or green — or all four!

Turn the mixture onto a board dusted with icing sugar. With clean hands knead in the rest of the icing sugar. Keep kneading until the colour is even throughout the mixture. Roll out mixture with a rolling pin and cut it into shapes! Leave the peppermint creams for a few hours to set firm.

Remember it's important to keep your teeth healthy — so make sure you clean them twice a day!

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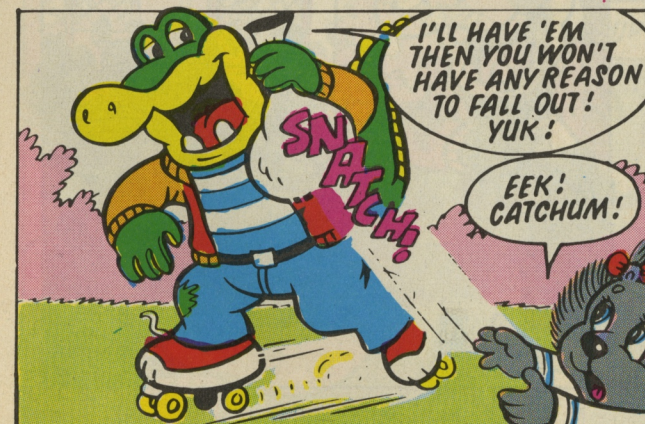
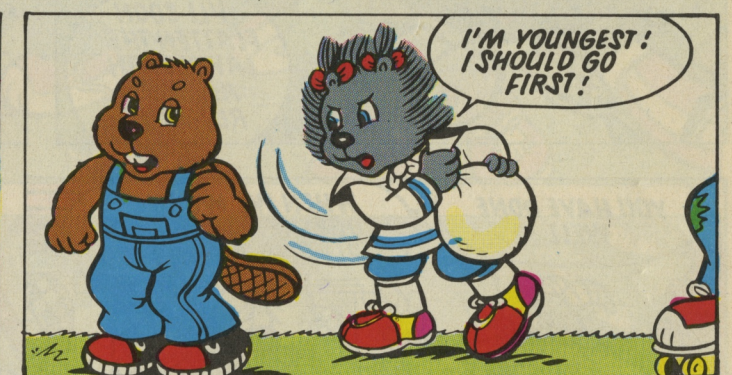
...IN SWEET CATCHUM

SCHNEIDER SQUIRREL'S SWEET FACTORY

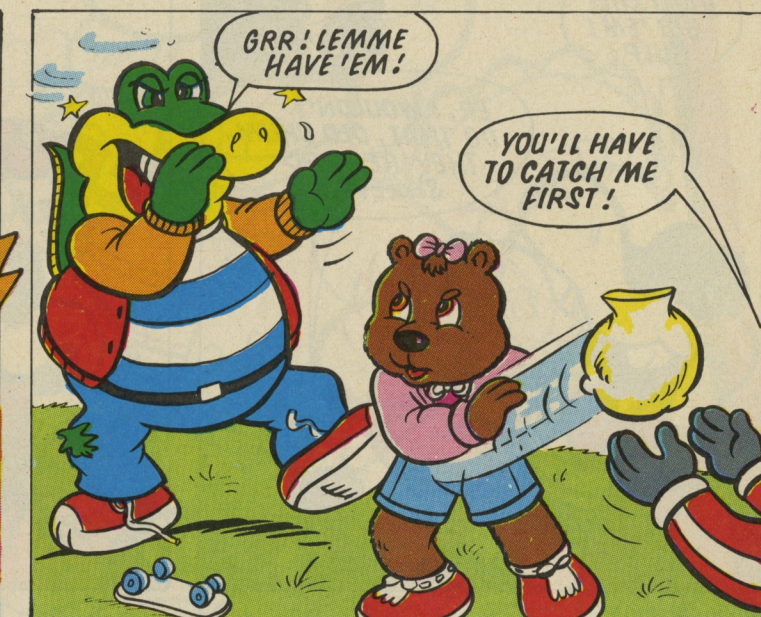
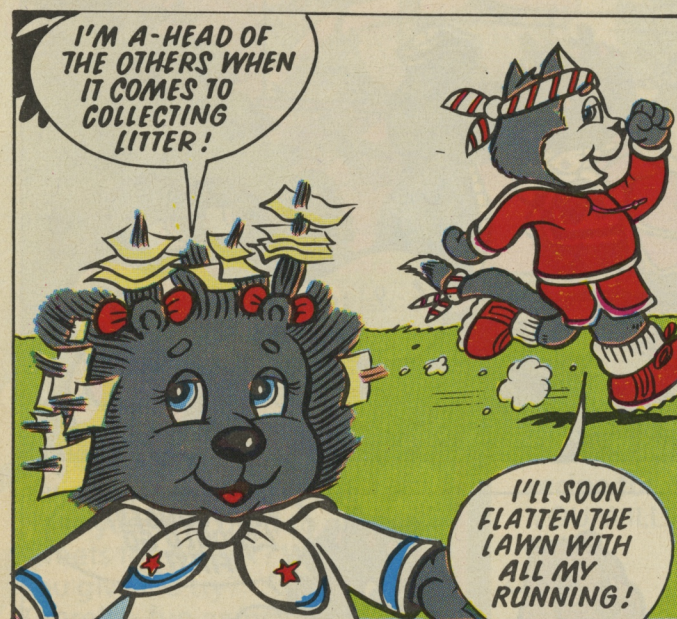
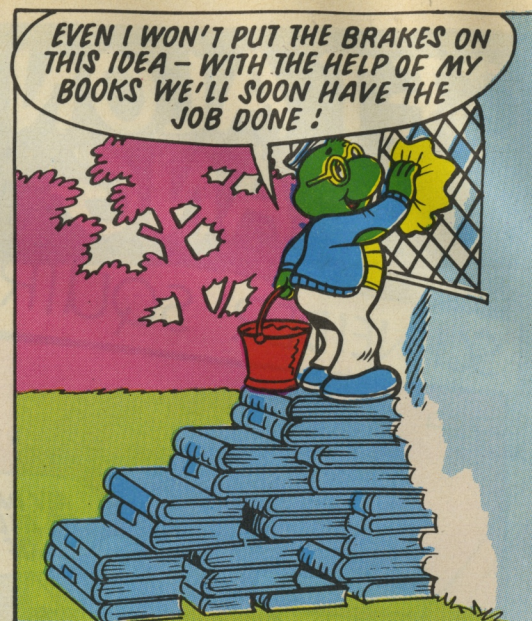
LOLLY SQUIRREL'S DAD OWNS A LARGE SWEET FACTORY IN GREEN MEADOW...

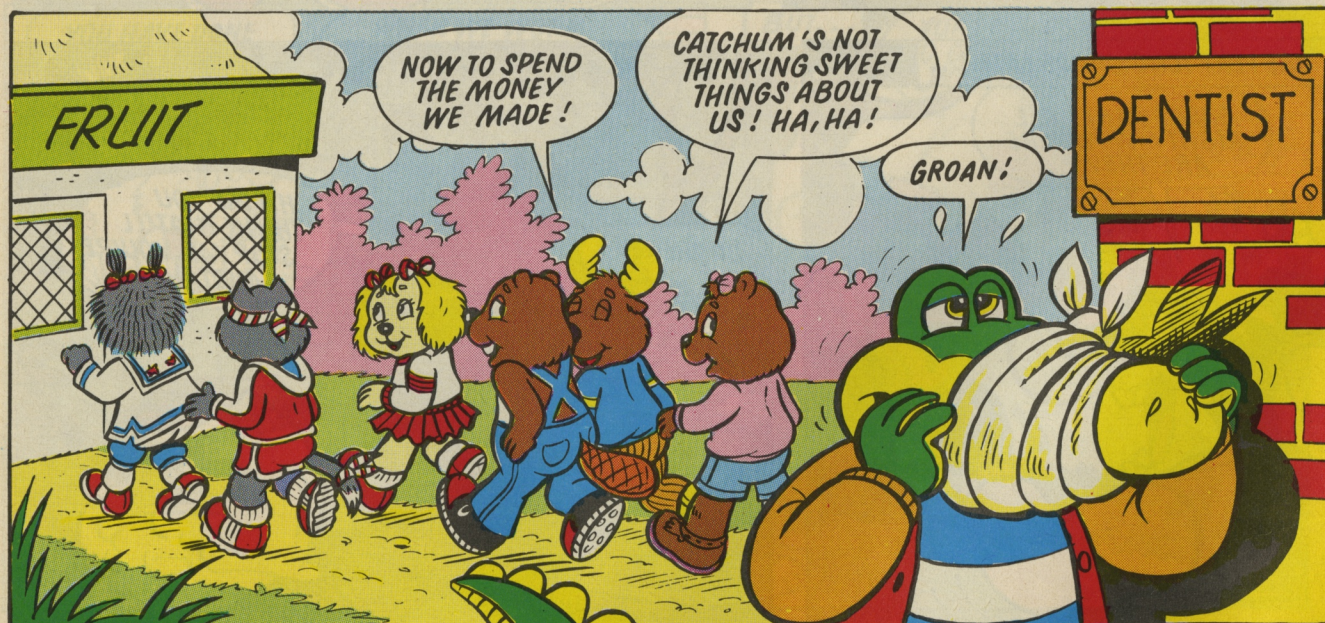
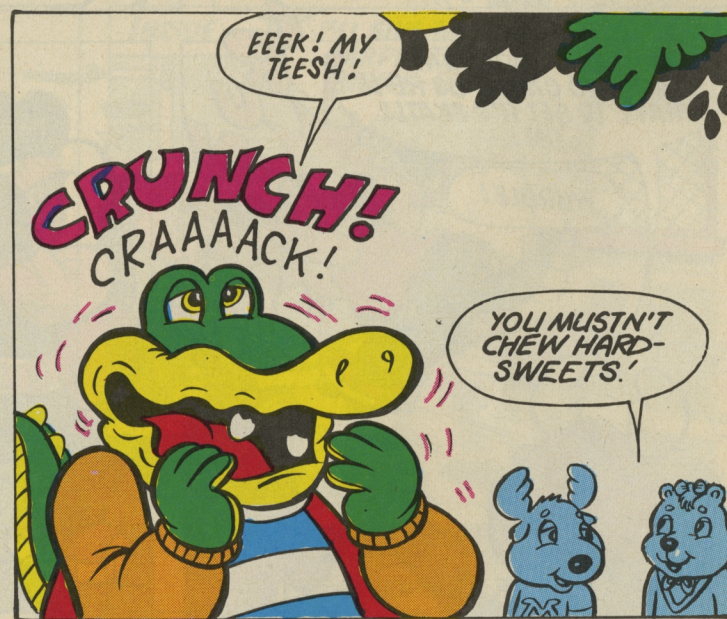
MY DAD'S TREATED US ALL TO A BIG BAG OF SWEETS!

BAGSY ME FIRST!



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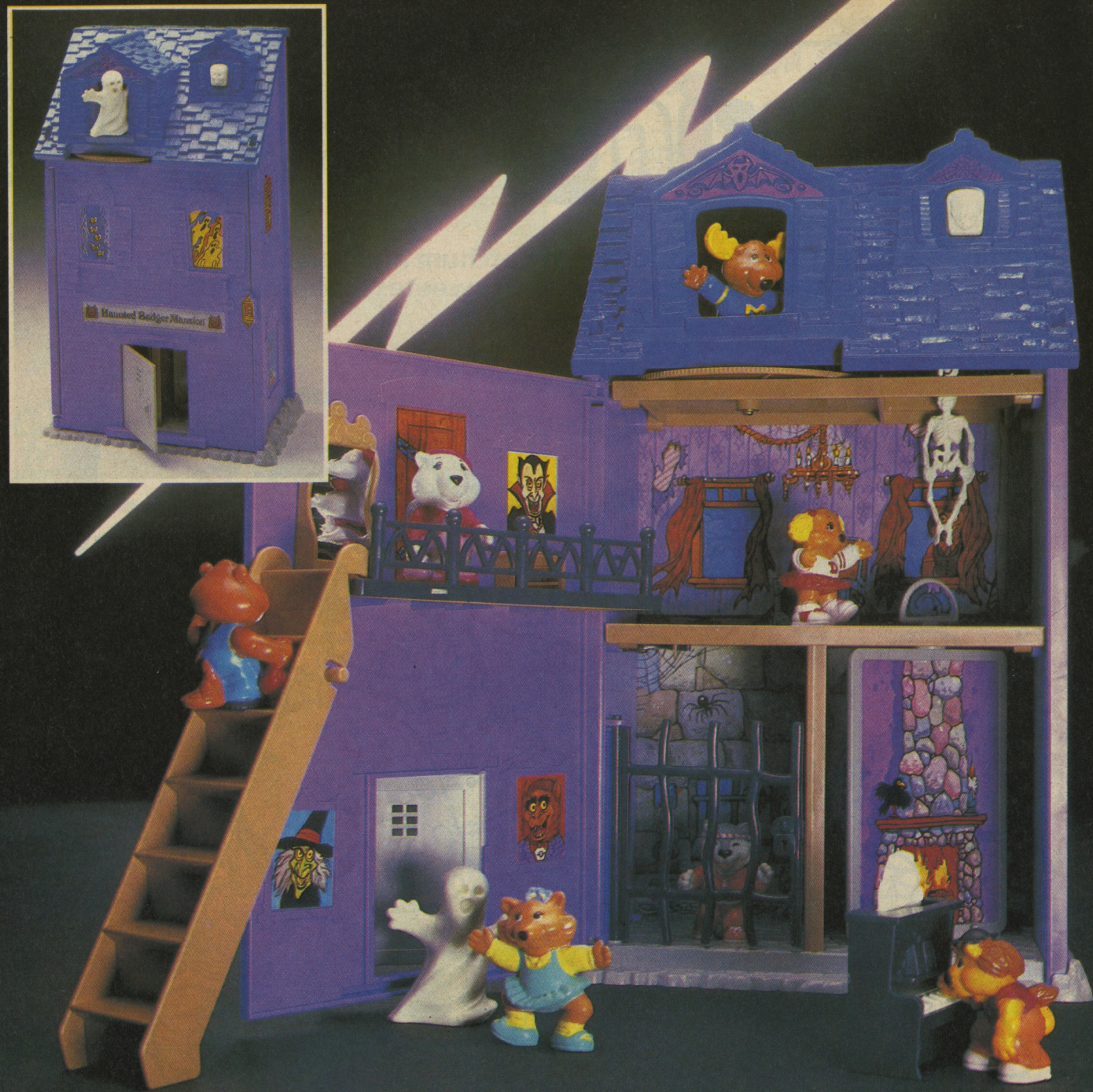


NEXT WEEK: The Gang go to Ancient Rome!

Colouring Chaos!

CHOMP! GUZZLE! That's the sound of Catchum and Leland guzzling their way through all these sweets! Grab your sweetest colours and fill in this greedy pair!





Ha-ha-have a sp-sp-spooky t-t-time in Ba-Ba-Badger Ma-Ma-Mansion!

When the Get Along Gang meet in the haunted Badger Mansion, all kinds of scary surprises start happening! A trick staircase, a piano with a pop up ghost, a disappearing room, distorting mirror, creepy pictures, trap door dungeon, even a removable ghost on its own revolving



TOMY

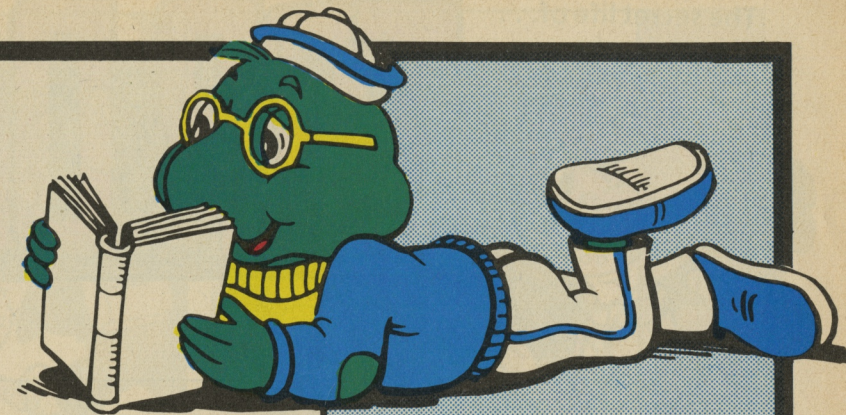
platform. Lots of things to find out and spook your very own gang members with. So take the Get Along Gang two-inch miniatures for some f-f-frightening f-f-fun—but you go first!

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PETCARE

AS EASY AS ABC



CHOOSING A DOG

There are many different sorts of dog to choose from. What sort of dog you choose must depend on where you live and why you want a dog. For instance, a Great Dane could not live in a small flat, nor could a Chihuahua go on five-mile walks! Dogs live a long time so you must be sure you really want one before you get one. The amount of dogs that are bought as presents and then abandoned is horrifying.

WHY THEY'RE FUN TO KEEP!

Dogs are fun to train! The first thing you must do is to house-train your puppy by putting it outside after meals and giving it a reward when it does a whoopsie!

Other things your dog will need to learn include its name, how to walk to heel, to sit and to go into its basket. Do remember to be patient with your dog, don't give up and give your dog lots of praise!

WHERE THEY LIVE

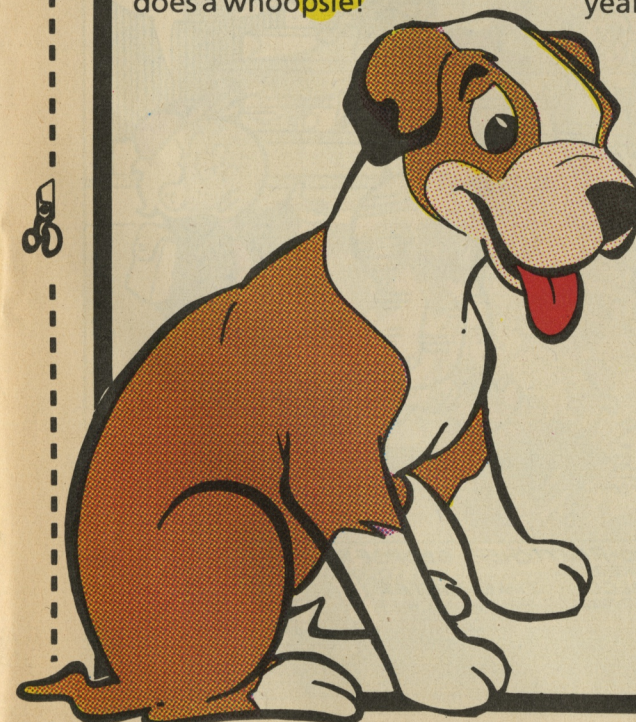
A big dog will need a big home and a small dog a small home. Your dog will need a basket or box to sleep in.

FOOD

One meal a day is plenty for a full grown dog. A dog eats meat with the odd egg or some milk.

HOW LONG DO THEY LIVE?

The bigger the dog the shorter the lifespan! Dogs live for anything between 10 and 20 years.



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book choice



Angelo by Quentin Blake. Published by Penguin Books. Price: £1.75.

Angelo and his family travelled around Italy entertaining everyone with their singing, balancing tricks, and Angelo's marvellous tight-rope dancing. Then one day, Angelo came across the sad and lonely Angelina and with the help of his brothers, set out to rescue her from her mean old uncle! Follow Angelo's adventures in this lovely book by Quentin Blake.

TOP DOG is back!



Joey Jordan



Joey's mum



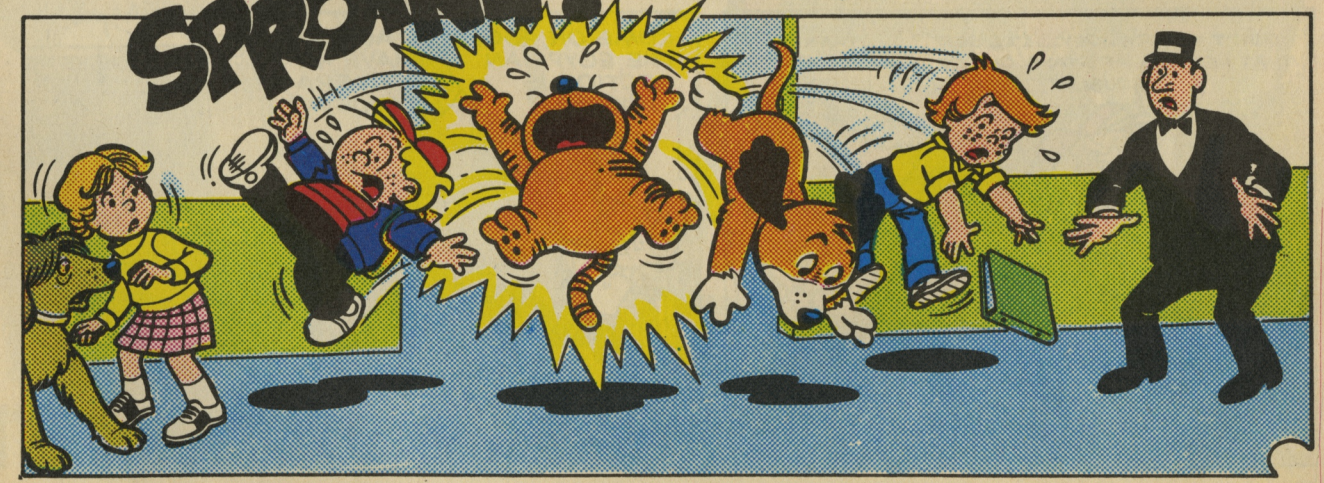
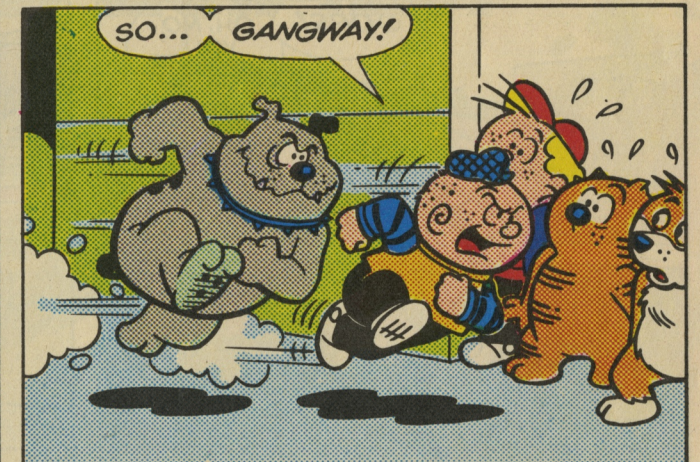
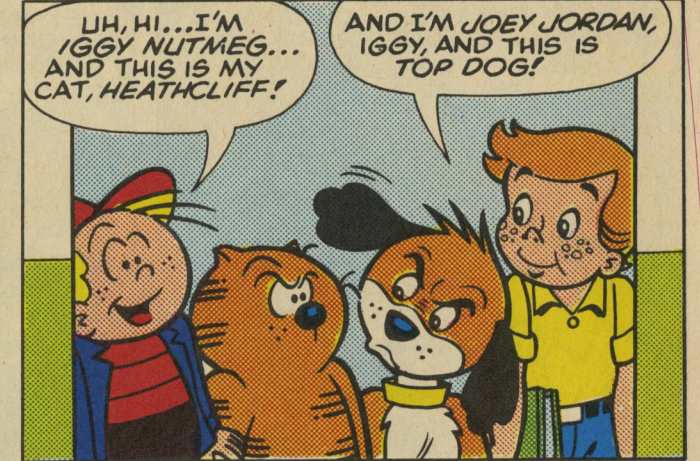
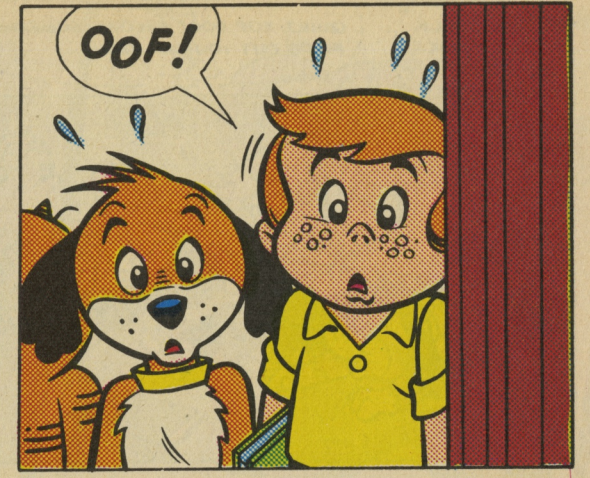
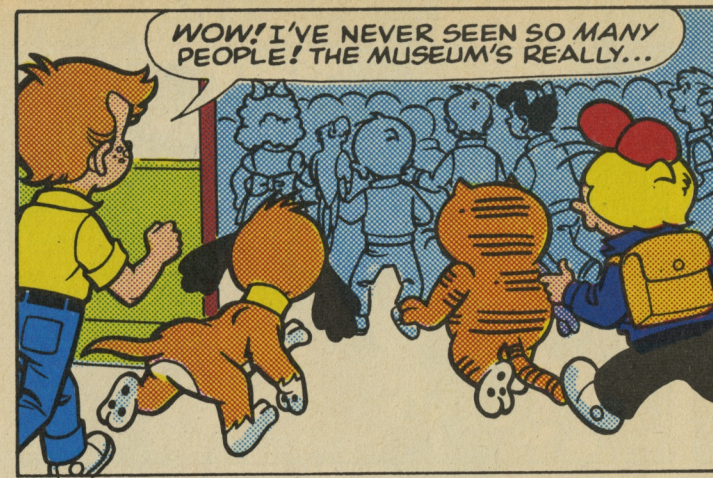
Joey's dad



Lizzie Jordan



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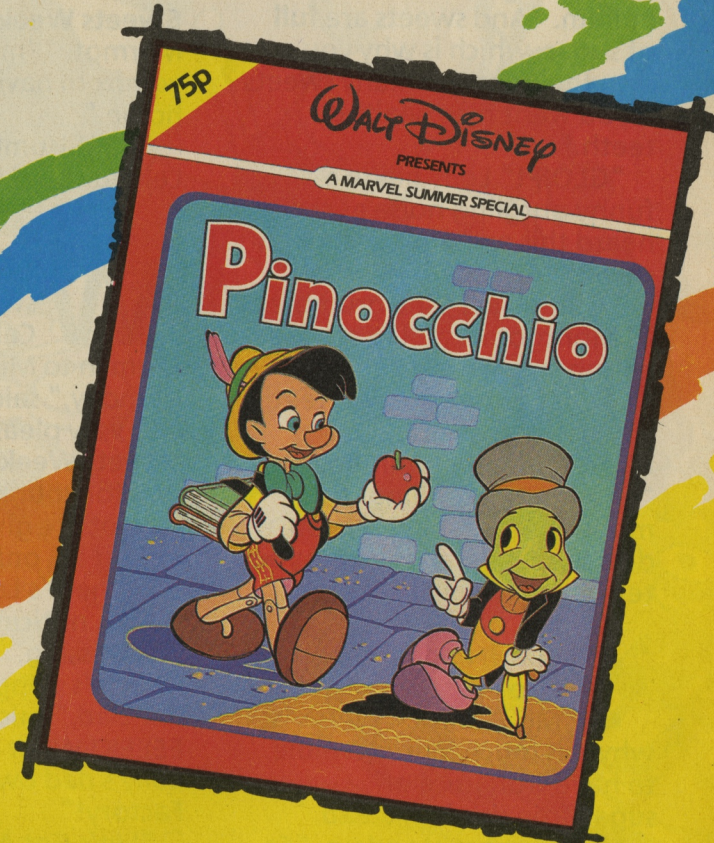
NEXT WEEK: Heathcliff gives Top Dog the runaround!



ON SALE NOW!



**4 FUN-FILLED,
FULL COLOUR
SUMMER SPECIALS!**



IT HAD TO BE. FROM MARVEL.

NO LOLLIES FOR LOLLY!

It's NO SWEETS week at Green Meadow School and one member of the Gang finds it very hard to give up sweets!

"This is Mr. Pullum, the dentist. He's here to talk to you about teeth." Miss Marmot introduced the dentist to the class.

Lolly Squirrel wasn't listening. Her head was buried inside her desk and Montgomery, who was sitting next to her, could hear the CRRUUNNCH! MUNCH! CHOMP! as she worked her way through an extra large bag of sweets. As you may know, readers, Lolly's dad owns a sweet factory and the little squirrel has what is known as a sweet tooth!

"The main culprit of bad teeth is sugar," continued Mr. Pullum. "And sweets are full of sugar, which is why you shouldn't eat too many sweets if you want nice healthy teeth."

"GLOIP!" Lolly made a funny gurgling noise as she heard this and almost choked on her liquorice.

"That's silly!" she grumbled to Montgomery. "I'm always eating sweets and I'm okay."

"What about the two teeth you had to have out last month?" Dotty reminded her. "and the three fillings the month before that?" If you didn't eat so many sweets your teeth would still be healthy."

"Squash and fizzy pop also causes decay," said Mr. Pullum. "Which is why it is much more sensible to have fruit juice or sugar-free drinks instead."

Miss Marmot stood up. "To help you all cut down on sweets I've decided to hold a

NO SWEETS week in school. The tuck shop will now only sell fresh fruit and crisps. Fruit is a healthy snack and some fruit helps strengthen teeth."

Lolly wasn't amused. "I can't go through a whole week without sweets!"

"Of course you can," grinned Montgomery. "We all can. This will be our new gang project – to help each other keep off sweets."

Lolly wasn't the only one who was upset. "Miss Marmot must be potty if she thinks I'm staying off sweets," grumbled Leland. "I'll scoff 'em at home instead."

"I shall contact your parents and inform them of our **No Sweets Week**," said Miss Marmot. "I'm sure they'll stop you from having a sly sweet at home."

"Bah! Humbug!" was all Leland could think to say!

"We'll keep all our sweets in the Caboose and hand them in to Miss Marmot on Monday," said Zipper, who was very pleased with the **No Sweets Week**. "Sweets are bad for your health so I'm glad you lot are giving them up – even if it's only for a week."

"Where's Lolly?" asked Portia, noticing that her friend was missing.

"She's popped over to see her Dad," said Bernice. "I... EEEEEK! What am I saying?! Lolly's dad owns the Sweet Factory!"

"Let's Get Along, Gang!" shouted Montgomery.

"Knowing Lolly she'll be

scoffing bags of sweets already!"

The Gang met Lolly outside the Sweet Factory. She was carrying an umbrella and a school book.

"Fancy thinking I would break my promise not to eat sweets," said Lolly, looking hurt.

"W-We're sorry," apologised Montgomery. Then he frowned. "Why are you carrying an umbrella on such a lovely sunny day?"

Bingo snatched the umbrella from Lolly's hand. "I bet I know what's in here!" He opened it up and out tumbled dozens of bags of sweets!

"And why have you got that history book?" asked Flora. "You don't even like history." She opened Lolly's book to find toffee bars hidden between the pages.

"Well," said Lolly guiltily. "I just got them in case I was feeling peckish."

"We'll keep them in the Caboose so you can't get at them," said Dotty.

"Oh, fudge! Spoilsports!" snapped Lolly. "I'm getting along without you!"

Hey! The sweets have gone! Some rotter's pinched them!" The gang returned that afternoon to find the sweets they had collected were missing.

"It must have been Lolly!" growled Zipper.

"It was not!" shouted Lolly, who was passing by and overheard him. "I haven't been near the silly Caboose.

One of you must have pinched them!"

"Bingo!" said Rocco.

"Bernice!" said Bingo.

"Dotty!" said Bernice.

"I DID NOT!" they all cried together.

"The Gang never fibs so it couldn't have been any of us," said Montgomery.

Lolly pointed to a trail of sweet wrappers on the ground. "The thief went this way!"

The trail led into Gummyfoot Swamp. Strange wallings were coming from behind a bush.

"OOOOOOOAAH! WAAAAAH! YOOOOOW!"

Leland sat on the ground

surrounded by empty sweet bags. He looked ill and was holding the side of his mouth.

"Groan! My tummy hurts and I've got the most terrible toothache!"

"That comes from eating too many sweets!" said Lolly. Then she realised what she had said. "L-Like I was going to do if the Gang hadn't stopped me."

"We did it because we were concerned about your health," said Montgomery. "Now poor Leland's suffering instead."

The Gang led Leland to Mr. Pullum's surgery.

"I might not be able to give up sweets altogether but I promise to try and cut down on them," said Lolly.

Montgomery grinned. "That's the SWEETEST thing I've heard you say! Ha! Ha!"

By John Gatehouse



THE SWEET TOOTH GAME!

No one wants to lose their teeth – but you may in this game if you eat too many sweets! All you need is a dice. Before you begin the game, cut out the teeth below! The object of the game is to fill your chosen mouth with teeth. If you land on a circle that tells you to lose a tooth before you have any, miss a go! First one with a full mouth of six teeth wins!

TOOTHACHE!
LOSE A TOOTH!

EAT CARROT!
GAIN A TOOTH!

START HERE

CLEAN TEETH
'TIL THEY
SPARKLE!
GAIN A TOOTH!

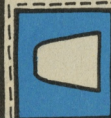
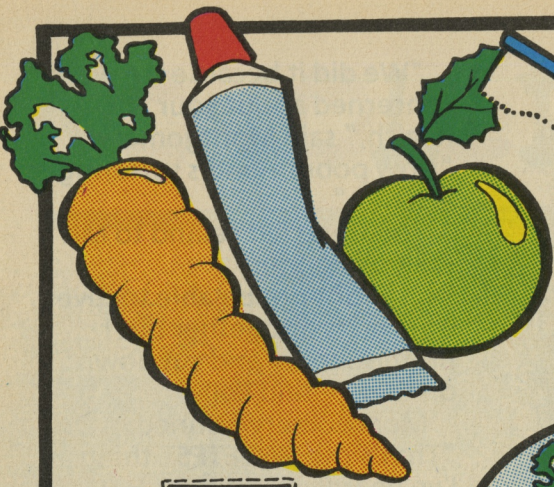
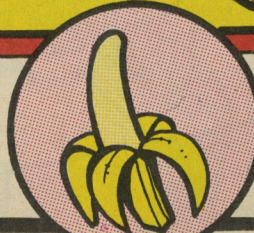
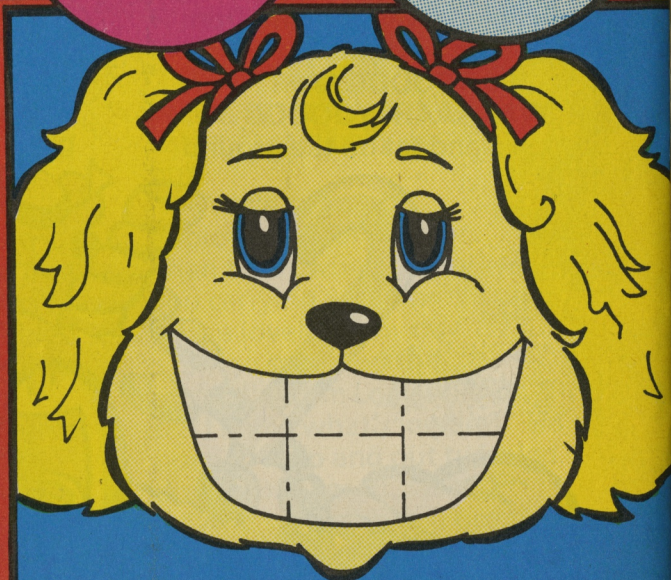
CLEAN TEETH
TWICE A DAY!
GAIN TOOTH!

SPEND ALL
YOUR POCKET
MONEY ON
SWEETS! LOSE A
TOOTH!

GO TO THE
DENTIST!
GAIN A TOOTH!

FORGET TO
CLEAN TEETH!
LOSE A TOOTH!

BREAK TOOTH
ON HARD
SWEET!
LOSE A TOOTH!



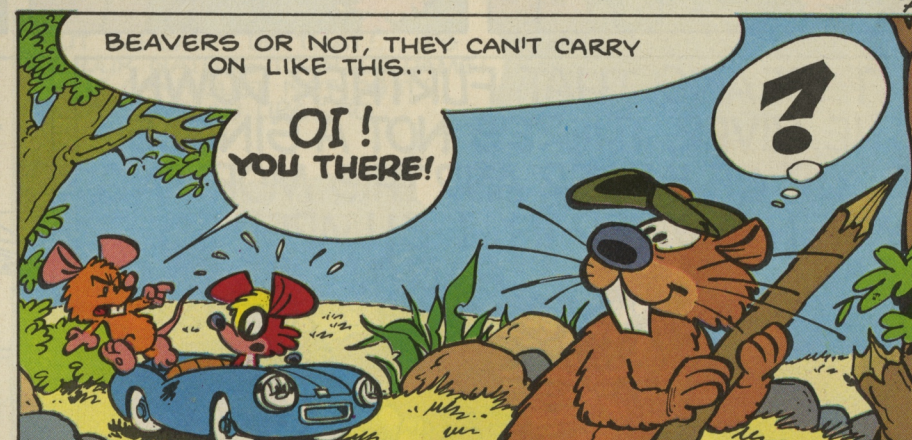
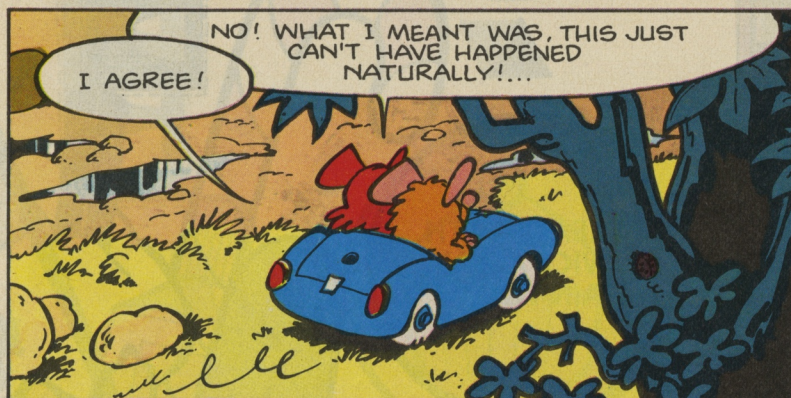
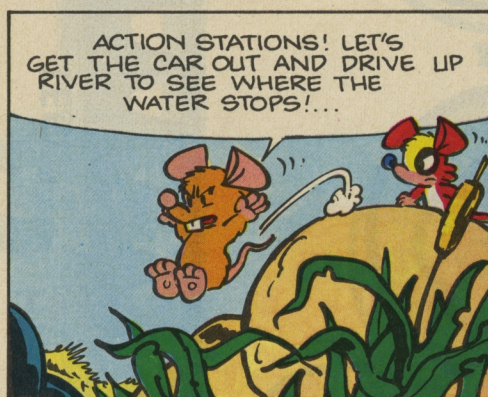
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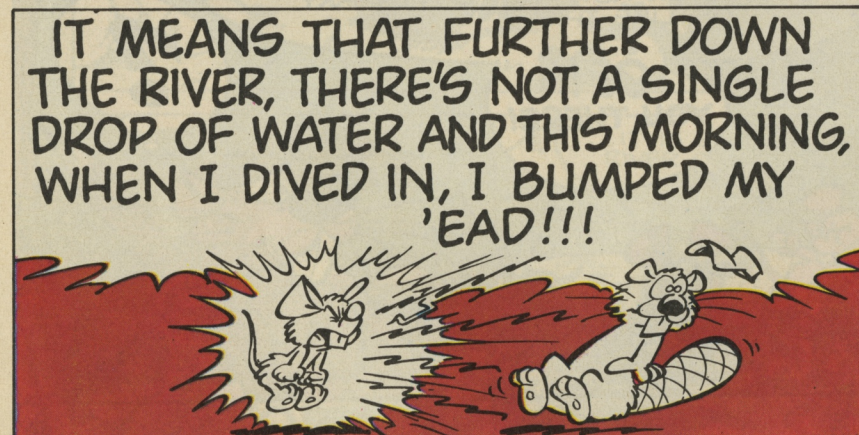
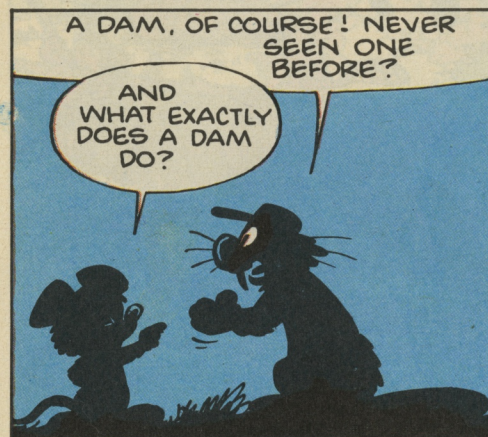
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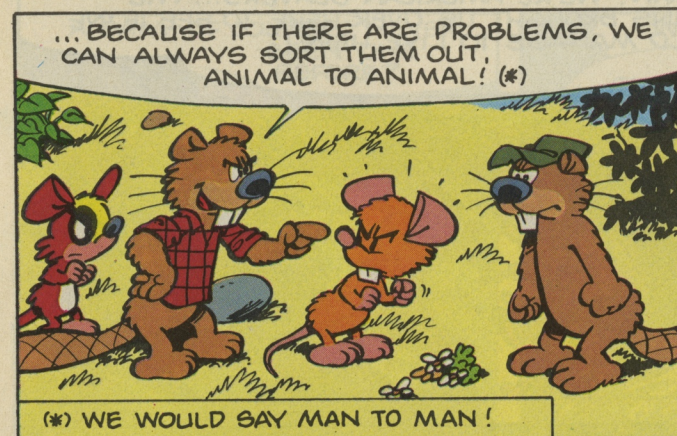
The hilarious adventures of two little field mice and their country friends!

CLORO AND DIGBY

Cloro and Digby are trying to find out where all the water from the river has disappeared to...







LETTERS TO

GUMMY FOOT SWAMP

THAT'S THE TOOTH!
Dear Catchum,
Have you had any teeth out? I have had one out, and I have a wobbly tooth at the moment.
Lynsay Pitcairn.
Groan! Unfortunately I have had quite a few teeth out! The dentist tells me I eat too many sweets! Huh! What does he know?!

WATCH THE BIRDIE!
Dear Catchum,
I have a pet budgie called Bluey. He has a toy penguin on wheels and he's always kissing it! He will not stop saying "give us a kiss!" He's also very fat!
Janice Moses.
Yeeuch! All that kissing! How soppy!

BIRTHDAY PEOPLE!
SATURDAY 26 JULY
Sarah Louise Jepson will be 3, Claire Louise Stocks will be 4, Peter Campbell will be 7 and Paul Chadderton will be 7.
SUNDAY 27 JULY
Victoria Mundy will be 5, Victoria Elliott will be 7 and Sarah Shepherd will be 8.
MONDAY 28 JULY
Michael Williams will be 2, Julie Fawcett will be 4, Brian Martin will be 5, Stacey Speller will be 8 and Kathryn Way will be 8.
TUESDAY 29 JULY
Gary Anderson will be 4, Andrew Parsons will be 5, Daniel Mead will be 7, Gareth Wood will be 7, Nicola Bacon will be 8, Donna Priest will be 8, Nicola Lestrane will be 10 and Eric Clark will be 27.
WEDNESDAY 30 JULY
Laura Hails will be 10 and Julia

GUMMYFOOT GAGS!
What is the difference between a flea and an elephant?
An elephant can get fleas, but a flea can't get elephant!
Darren Cook.
What falls a lot, but never gets hurt?
Rain!
Wendy Millard and Helen Norgrove.
Two men fell in the lake, but only one got his hair wet. Why?
Because the other was bald!
Michael Carter.

THURSDAY 31 JULY
Anna Campbell will be 5, Tommy Page will be 7, Paul Michael Scott will be 9 and Bridgette Chase will be a year older.
FRIDAY 1 AUGUST
Karen Dingley will be a year older.

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Gummyfoot Swamp.
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